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PATENT APPLICATION

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Inventor(s): Richard P. Helliwell

Confirmation No.: 8184

Application No.: 10/825,464

Examiner: David Eng

Filing Date: 04/15/2004

Group Art Unit: 2155

Title: GENERATING UNIQUE IDENTIFIERS IN A COMPUTER SYSTEM

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner For Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- ☒ Response/Amendment  
☐ New fee as calculated below  
☒ No additional fee  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ Petition to extend time to respond  
☐ Supplemental Declaration

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	23	MINUS	38	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	9	MINUS	14	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Month \$120	<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Month \$450	<input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Month \$1020	<input type="checkbox"/> 4th Month \$1590		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

Richard P. Helliwell

By \_\_\_\_\_

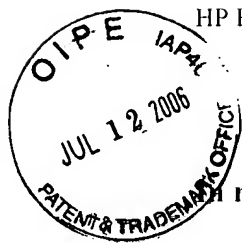
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This is in response to the non-final office action mailed June 7, 2006, in the above application. This response is being filed within the three-month shortened statutory period for response set in the action. No extension fee is believed to be due in connection with this response. If the Office determines that an extension fee is due, please charge such fee, and credit any overpayment, to deposit account no. 08-2025.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.